

Grants and Scholarships for Pre-Med, Med, Dental, and Allied Health Students



Herbert Nickelson Grants: These awards consist of five scholarships given to outstanding students entering their third-year of medical school who have shown leadership efforts to eliminate inequities in medical education and health care and demonstrated leadership efforts in addressing educational, societal, and health-care needs of minorities. Each recipient receives an award and a \$5,000 scholarship in November of the year the scholarships are awarded.

<http://www.aamc.org/about/awards/nickensscholarships.htm>

Indian Health Services Scholarships: Applicants must be members of a federally recognized American Indian or Alaska Native Tribe. Scholarships are divided into preparatory, pre-graduate, health professions, and extern groups. http://www.ihs.gov/JobCareerDevelop/DHPS/Scholarships/Scholarship_index.asp

Latino Medical Student Association: Promotes the recruitment, retention, academic success and support of Latinos in health profession careers. Offers an MCAT and a Medical Admissions scholarship – dependent on the availability of annual funding. <http://www.lmsa.net/scholarships.htm>

American Dental Association (ADA): Offers scholarships of \$2,500 for Dental students and Minority Dental Students, and also offers \$1,000 for allied dental health scholars.

http://www.ada.org/ada/prod/adaf/prog_scholarship_prog.asp

Gates Millennium Scholars Program: The Gates Millennium Scholars program expands access to higher education for African Americans, American Indians/Alaska natives, Asian Pacific Americans, and Hispanic Americans enrolling in and completing undergraduate and graduate degree programs.

[http://www.gmsp.org/\(k14qxrur0t2ebjvsfspd413i\)/default.aspx](http://www.gmsp.org/(k14qxrur0t2ebjvsfspd413i)/default.aspx)

The College Scholarship Program is available on a competitive basis to community college, four-year college, and graduate students of Hispanic heritage. Award amounts generally range from \$1,000 to \$3,000.

<http://www.hsf.net/scholarship/programs/college.php>

The HSF/Camino al Exito Program is designed to assist degree-seeking students who are the children of Telemundo employees or who reside in Los Angeles, Chicago, New York, or Miami. Applicants may be high school seniors or current undergraduates. Award amounts generally range from \$2,500 to \$5,000.

<http://www.hsf.net/scholarship/programs/camino.php>

American Indian Graduate Center assists American Indian college graduates to continue their education at the masters, doctorate and professional degree level.

<http://www.aigc.com/other-funding-opportunities/scholarships.html>

American Indian Education Foundation: Offers grants for freshman and undergraduate Native American or Alaska Native students ranging from \$1,500 to \$3,000 annually. Also links to challenge grants and emergency funding. <http://www.aiefprograms.org/scholarshipapplication.htm>

Allied Healthcare Scholarship (sponsored by Kaiser Permanente): Students enrolled in an Allied Healthcare Program may receive \$2,000 to \$2,500 for one academic year.

<http://www.healthprofessions.ca.gov>

Health Professions Education Scholarship (made possible with a grant from the Vitamin Consumer Cases Settlement Fund): Students currently enrolled in a Physician Assistant, Nurse Practitioner, Certified Nurse Mid-Wife, Dental, or Dental Hygienist program may receive up to \$10,000 for one academic year.

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